Telephone complaints under Nalanda Exchange

1200. MISS FRIDA TOPNO: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the complaints for out of order telephones under Nalanda Exchange, Bihar are not attended to for weeks by local officials;

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) The details of the telephone connections which were out of order during January, 2002 togetherwith the number of days for which they were non-functional;

(d) what were reasons for the delay in making these telephones functional; and

(e) what action Government propose to take to expedite speedly rectification of the complaints?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Revenue arrear of MTNL and BSNL

1201. SHRI K. RAMA MOHANA RAO: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state: